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Ms. Pat Sheppard
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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

RE: Friends of Corrine Brown
FEC# CD0272732

Dear Ms. Sheppard:

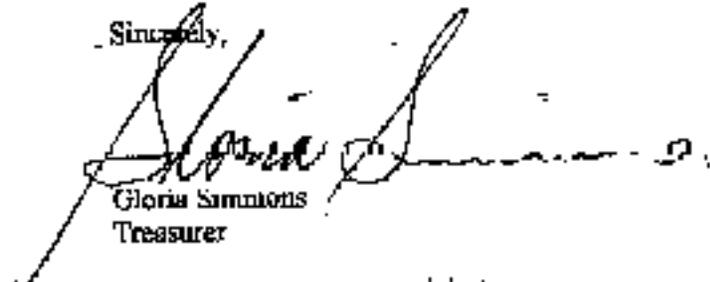
This letter is in response to your request for additional information dated May 2, 2000. Attached is an amendment to the Mid-Year 1999 report correcting Schedule D. The debt schedule for the Year-End 1999 report is correct as originally filed.

Friends of Corrine Brown (the "Committee") is unclear as to your request regarding the threshold for itemizing contributions. It would be helpful if you would cite specific examples of any possible errors in the Committee's reports.

The Committee's standard procedure with regard to "best efforts" is as follows. The Committee's initial solicitation materials contain the request for occupation and employer information. If this information is not provided, a letter is sent to the contributor requesting this information once again. The Committee maintains copies of all second requests, updates its records and adds this information to its reports when and if the information is obtained.

If you require additional information, please feel free to contact the Committee.

Sincerely,



Gloria Simmons
Treasurer

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